

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
GREAT FALLS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

DOUGLAS JOSEPH  
DAYRIDER,

Defendant.

Case No. CR-19-05-GF-BMM-JTJ

FINDINGS AND  
RECOMMENDATIONS  
CONCERNING PLEA

The Defendant, by consent, has appeared before me under Fed. R. Crim. P. 11 and has entered a plea of guilty to one count of Failure to Register or Update Registration as a Sexual Offender, as set forth in the Indictment. After examining the Defendant under oath, I have made the following determinations:

1. That the Defendant is fully competent and capable of entering an informed and voluntary plea to Count I of the Indictment.
2. That the Defendant is aware of the nature of the charge against him and the consequences of pleading guilty to the charge;
3. That the Defendant fully understands his constitutional rights, and the

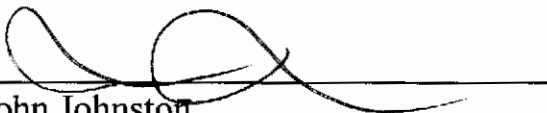
extent to which he is waiving those rights by pleading guilty to Count I charged against him in the indictment.

4. That the plea of guilty is knowingly and voluntarily entered and is supported by independent factual grounds sufficient to prove each of the essential elements in Count I of the indictment.

The Court further concludes that the Defendant had adequate time to review the Plea Agreement with counsel, that he fully understands each and every provision of the agreement and that all of the statements in the Plea Agreement are true. Therefore, I recommend that the Defendant be adjudged guilty of Count I of the Indictment, and that sentence be imposed.

**This report is forwarded with the recommendation that the Court defer a decision regarding acceptance until the Court has reviewed the Plea Agreement and the presentence report.**

DATED this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019.

  
John Johnston  
United States Magistrate Judge